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TOO LATE FOR TUBES
The Board of Trade has appointed a committee to consider the substitution of under river tubes for the Delaware bridge.

WARNING TO HARRISBURG
WHAT amounts in a general way to the same thing as an appropriations limit fixed by a budget has been set by Governor Sproul.

FEDERAL BUILDING HOPE
REPUBLICANS are popularly regarded as opponents of the government of the United States...

HOW VENOM REACTS
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MR. NUGENT REAPPEARS
DEATH'S final words are the ways of factional politics in New Jersey. And no factional leader was so noted for agility as Big Jim Nugent.

missions on work obtained through "the exercise of his influence at Washington" is likely to inspire wonder rather than conviction among the observers.

Are we supposed to believe that there has been a burning of latitudes in Jersey? Or can it be that the enemies of Mr. Wilson and Mr. Tammany are merely trying to prepare a warm welcome for them in civil life?

EPHRAIM'S EAST-WIND DIET NEVER MADE HIM STRONGER
And Philadelphia, Because It Has Been Fed on Words, Is Awaiting Public Improvements Projected Long Ago.

THE services of an antiquarian would be required to discover when the talk of a convention hall for the city first started. It is possible that it may have begun within the lifetime of the oldest inhabitant, but it is probable that it started much earlier.

THE arrangements that are now making for a new building to accommodate the public offices now in rented quarters and to relieve overcrowding in the City Hall have come only after years of discussion of its need.

Necessary also is lack of the proposed amendment to the charter permitting the issue of bonds for repaving to run for the estimated life of the pavement.

PHILADELPHIA has a long and distinguished history of public works. It is a city that has been a leader in the development of public utilities.

THE reconstruction of diagonal streets to relieve congested traffic and the widening of some of the existing streets have been urged for a long time, and every one admits to the need of these improvements.

the failure of William Penn to foresee the growth of the city. All this leads up by devious ways and gradual stages to the proposed International fair in 1926.

"MORE THAN RIGHT"
LIFE would really be hard for the money-makers in politics and corrupt factions would find existence more and more uncertain if any considerable number of voters were to observe consistently the rule of criticism.

THE outburst just done in Arkansas by men who sold hundreds of miles of land automatically to the state...

THE worst thing about the revival of the Ku-Klux-Klan is the recurrent and increasing violence of its members.

THE victim in this instance was carried a long distance in a motorcar after his capture. The preparation for his tortures were deliberately and carefully organized.

There is more to be said about the Philadelphia street car problem. The Philadelphia street car problem is a long and complicated one.

What Do You Know?
QUIZ
1. What was the name of the Sunday school which was destroyed by fire at the time of the earthquake in San Francisco?

Answers to Yesterday's Quiz
1. The name of the Sunday school which was destroyed by fire at the time of the earthquake in San Francisco was the Sunday school of the First Baptist Church.

AS ONE WOMAN SEES IT
Mothers' Assistance Bureau is Handicapped by Lack of Money and by Strict Rules That Occasionally Work Handicap on the Poor.

I HAVE been asked on all sides to support the mothers' assistance appropriation bill. But until the other day I was only vaguely informed about it.

MRS. MCCOY has a certain debt, an exact touch about her that has given her a certain distinction in the air.

I FOUND that if I were a deserted wife, or if my children were illegitimate, or if my husband were incapacitated...

SOCIETY does not regard motherhood in the same way as it regards other professions. It is a profession that is not valued as highly as it should be.

AND because the state help might be abused by lazy or erring husbands or divorced or deserted mothers can hope for help. And because a sickly mother or a mother who is unable to care for her children...

THE process of inspection not only includes a thorough looking into all returns and reports and verifying all the mother's information as well as the registration of the children...

I FOUND myself rather painfully curious as to what happened to the families during that period of suspense; what happened to the families of mothers who could not get the money...

SOME EFFORT
The railroads now ask of labor what labor has afforded demand of the government: that red tape be cut.

Any department head will tell you that the "need economy" in other departments is a cheese-paring policy in his own eyes.

The fact that the seven men in the Fire Prevention Bureau have only 400,000 buildings to inspect causes one to wonder what they do in their spare time.

Ever so many unscientific cases are willing to swear that the seismograph has been on its job on Wednesday night and that what we experienced was a really true earthquake.

Judge Thompson presents so convincing a case for a world's fair exhibit this year that it is hard to see how the general court that most any jury would give him a verdict.

Dentists have started a national movement for the betterment of mouth conditions, especially among school children. So long as candy is sweet I'll mouth children will prefer mouth high jinks to mouth hygiene.

Judging by modes of locomotion at Coconino lake, Merion Cricket Club lake and Haverford College pond, yesterday's rain was just one skate after another; but the fact is without interest for prohibition enforcement officers.

No mother of small children and no girl who zig-zag, rouge and powder but do not think may serve on Juries in the Atlantic City District Court, says Judge Robert More so discrimination. Let the finish look to it. Their fight is just begun.

NOW MY IDEA IS THIS
Daily Talks With Thinking Philadelphians on Subjects They Know Best

REV. ZED HETZEL COPP
On Social Ailens

THE root of social delinquency and crime is in the home and its result is seen in penal and correctional institutions, according to the Rev. Zed Hetzel Copp, chaplain of the Eastern Penitentiary, discussing the subject of "Social Ailens."

Crime is a disease, in the opinion of Mr. Copp, and as such is open to cure, while the criminal, as the product of the social order, is owed an opportunity for recovery by society.

These outlines are the results of years of careful study in sociology, criminology and investigation was from the alley to the avenue, from the tramp to the globe-trotter, from the lunatic to the captain of industry, from the crossing officer to the galleons, from the ward politics to the State Department, from street preaching to the cathedral, and from the disbanding of the army and navy to the unique stratification of American society which is the result of European political, social, racial and religious volcanic eruptions, manias, strikes and lockouts, which can be as accurately traced as the geological ages.

Four Elements to be Considered
The four elements to be considered in this analysis are as follows: Social delinquency, social banditry, social deficiency and social delinquency.

Under the head of the first there are the following factors: The tramp, the laborer, the tourist, the home-seeker and the business adventurer. Some of these are more or less self-explanatory. Next, in taking up the question of social banditry we have professional, mendacious, strikes and lockouts, political influence and social ostracism.

Prisons Must Become Universities
As crime is the result of wrong thinking, penal institutions must do more than merely detain their inmates. The law prescribes the punishment and the judge sets the limit to the sentence. The law of liberty and the comforts of society. There is no situation lower in fact or sentence which requires rigorous enforcement. If the in-



SHORT CUTS
Charges against him simply served to accentuate the general opinion that Schwab is all right.

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